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Mr. Perry Gottesfeld
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RE: Freedom of Information Request FOIA EPA-2023-005565, Final Response

Dear Mr. Gottesfeld:

This letter concerns the above-referenced Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of FOIA EPA-2023-005565, to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), requesting "an electronic summary compiled from all notices of exports to all countries except Canada for 2022 and an electronic summary of all annual reports of actual exports (in weight or quantities) of used/ spent lead batteries (ie. SLABS) and lead battery components from the U.S. to all other countries except Canada for 2022, including the exporter and importer. This information is reported to EPA under the Universal Waste Export Rules in §262.83."

The Agency has concluded its search for records responsive to your request and is providing the following records in full: Excel spreadsheet of 2022 RCRA export shipment and consent data SLABs to other than Canada.

You may appeal this determination by email at hq.foia@epa.gov, or by mail to the EPA's National FOIA Office, U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2310A), Washington, DC 20460 or through FOIAonline if you are an account holder. If you are submitting your appeal by hand delivery, courier service, or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., WJC-N Building, Room 7309C, Washington, DC 20460. Your appeal must be in writing, and it must be received no later than 90 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 90-calendar day limit. Appeals received after 5:00 p.m. EST will be considered received the next business day. The appeal letter should include the FOIA tracking number listed above. For quickest possible handling, the subject line of your email, the appeal letter, and its envelope, if applicable, should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

If you need any further assistance or would like to discuss any aspect of your request, you may seek assistance from EPA's FOIA Public Liaison at hq.foia@epa.gov or call (202) 566- 1667. You may also seek assistance from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). You may contact OGIS in any of the following ways: by mail, Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001; email: ogis@nara.gov; telephone: (202) 741-5770 or (877) 684- 6448; or fax: (202) 741-5769. For all media inquiries, please contact press@epa.gov.

Please contact Eva Kreisler at kreisler.eva@epa.gov if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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